

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Wolfgang Hoess Art Unit : 2816
Serial No. : 10/554,970 Examiner : John W. Poos
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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

This interview summary is being filed to memorialize a telephone call between the Examiner and the undersigned, which took place on October 20, 2008. During that conversation, we discussed the comment on page 9 of the Office Action that the claims do not require "a direct connection of the switches and shared emitter nodes". The Examiner indicated that if the claims were amended to specify a direct connection, that they would define over the art. However, the Examiner indicated that further search would be necessary.

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Respectfully submitted,

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